



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D C 20463

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Re: MUR 5629  
Newberry for U.S. Congress and  
R. Mark Morris, in his official capacity as treasurer  
Jim Newberry

Dear Mr. Bauer:

On March 23, 2006, your clients, Newberry for U.S. Congress and R. Mark Morris, in his official capacity as treasurer, were notified that the Federal Election Commission found reason to believe that they violated 2 U.S.C. § 441d. On April 10, 2006, you submitted a response to the Commission's reason to believe finding. After an investigation, the Commission determined on April 3, 2007, to take no further action as to Newberry for U.S. Congress and R. Mark Morris, in his official capacity as treasurer.


Additionally, the Commission previously notified your client, Jim Newberry, of a complaint alleging that he may have violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. On May 9, 2007, the Commission decided to dismiss this matter as to Jim Newberry and has closed the file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A copy of the dispositive case materials is enclosed for your information.

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If you have any questions, please contact Assistant General Counsel Cynthia Tompkins or me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

  
Kamau Philbert  
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